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The attached diagrams of the structure of Ho Government radio communications represent the incidental observations of an FBIS employee (U.S. citizen, experienced in radio communications and monitoring field) engaged in monitoring press traffic transmitted in international morse code by several stations operated by or for the Ho Government. They are not necessarily complete or in the normal relationship to each other in all cases, since it has not been possible to check all relationships extensively during the period involved; however the indicated relationships can be stated to be correct for at least a certain period. Since a number of the stations and transmissions have been checked almost daily, it is believed that this effort to plot the scope and relationship of the networks is warranted. It is worthy of note that there has been considerable development of these facilities in the past year, and that changes noted frequently during the period of this observation are indicative of continued development.

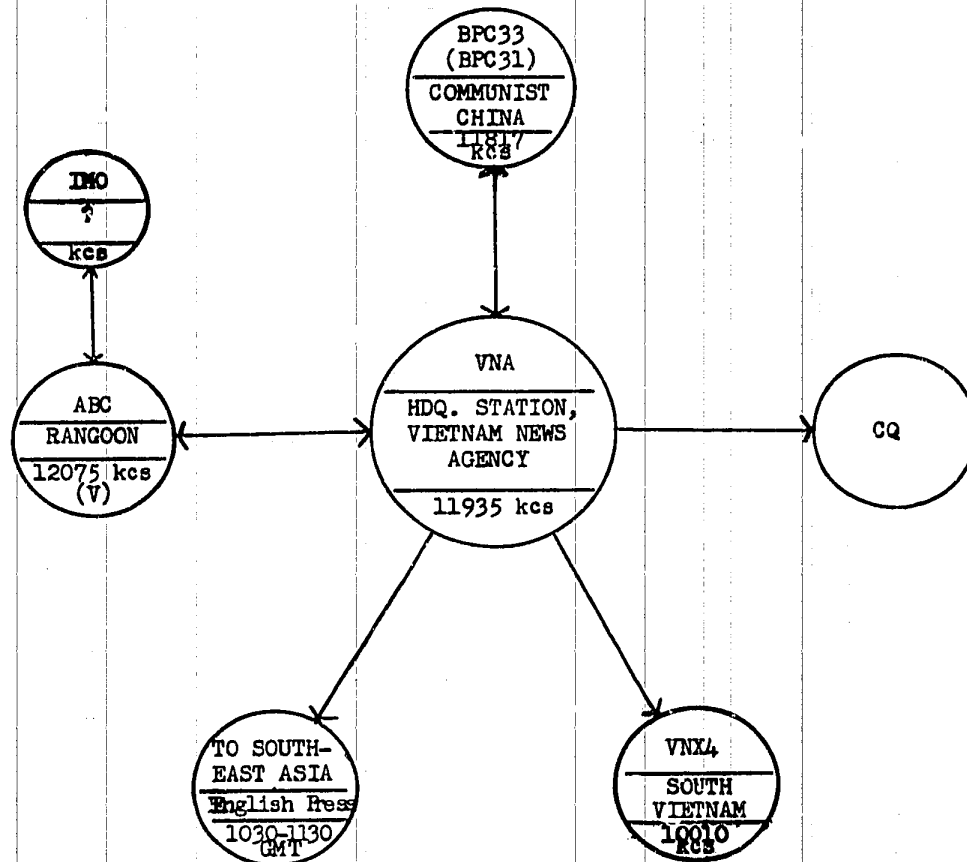
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DIAGRAM #1



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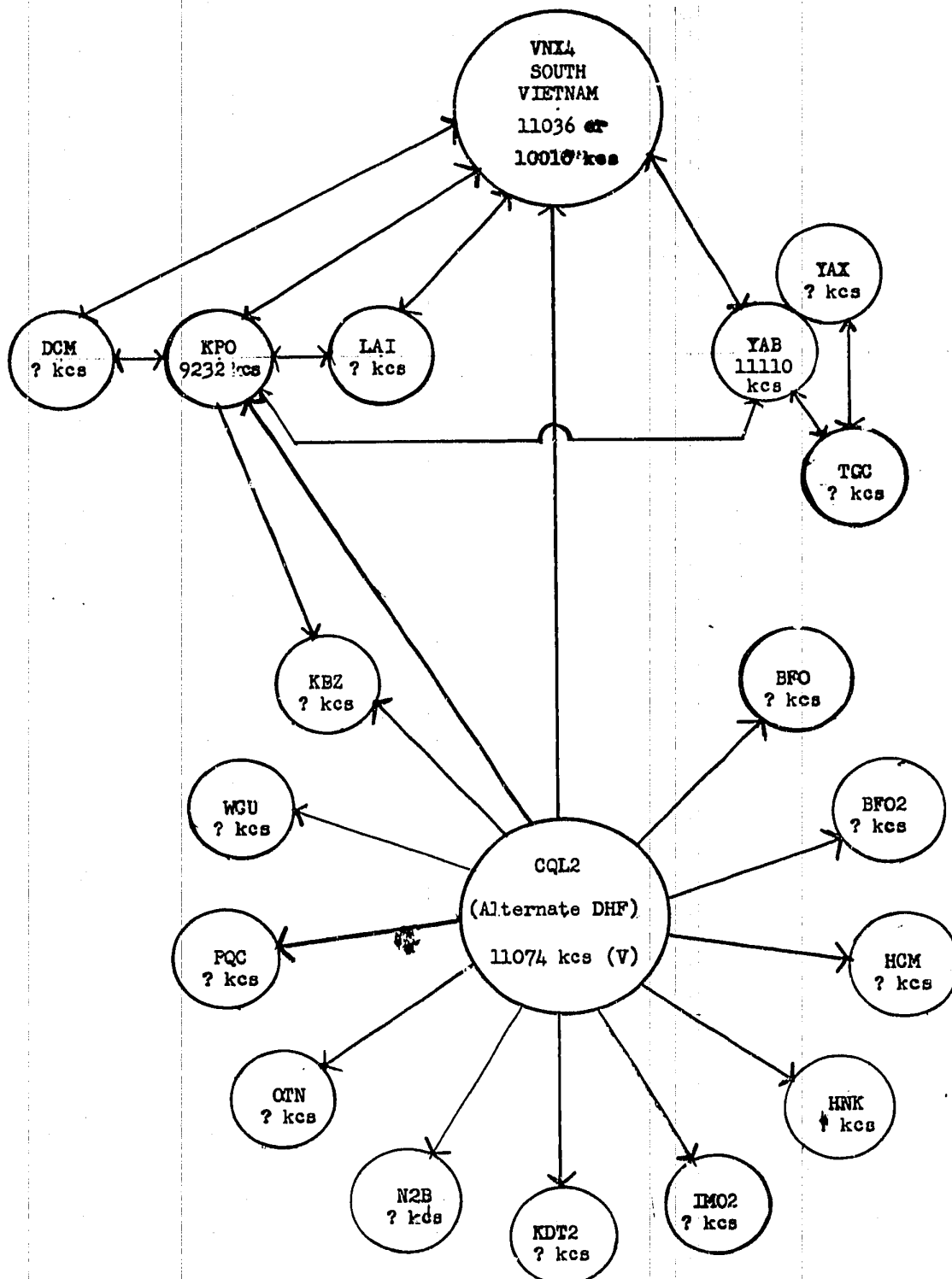
1. XMSN times GMT: 0130-0300, 0500-0630, 0800-0900 (varies), 1030-1130, 1200-1300 (varies).
2. Sends manual 15 - 20 words per minute.
3. Traffic consists of Vietnamese, French, German, English, 5 Letter Code.
4. VNA continues to call BPC33, whereas BPC31 is used by the answering station.
5. VNA and BPC31 frequencies are fairly stable - ABC frequency varies 100 to 200 kcs daily.
6. The location of ABC is deduced, not announced.

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DIAGRAM #2



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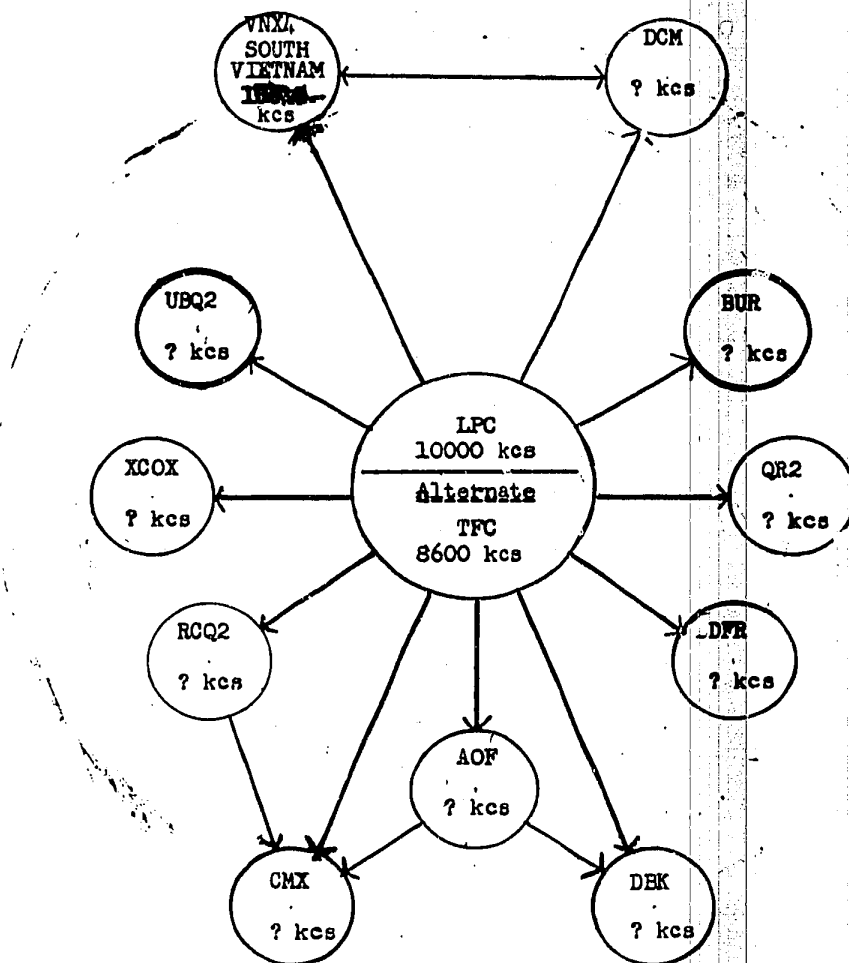
1. XMSN times GMT: 0100-0500, 0700-0900, 1000-1400.
2. Sends manual 15 words per minute.
3. Traffic consists of Vietnamese, French, 5 Letter Code, 5-Digit Code.
4. Frequency varies 100 kcs. (DHF/CQL2)
5. KPC acts as relay for KBZ at times.

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DIAGRAM #3



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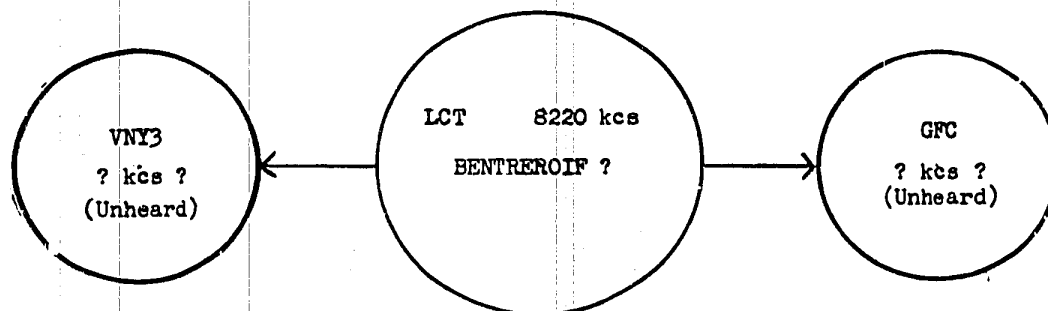
1. XMSN times GMT: 0005-0500, 0700-0900, 1000-1400.
2. Sends manual 18 words per minute.
3. Traffic consists of Vietnamese, 5 Digit Code, 5 and 6 Letter Code.
4. LPC frequency remains within 25 kc range.
5. AOF acts as relay for CMX and DEK.
6. RCQ2 acts as relay for CMX at times.

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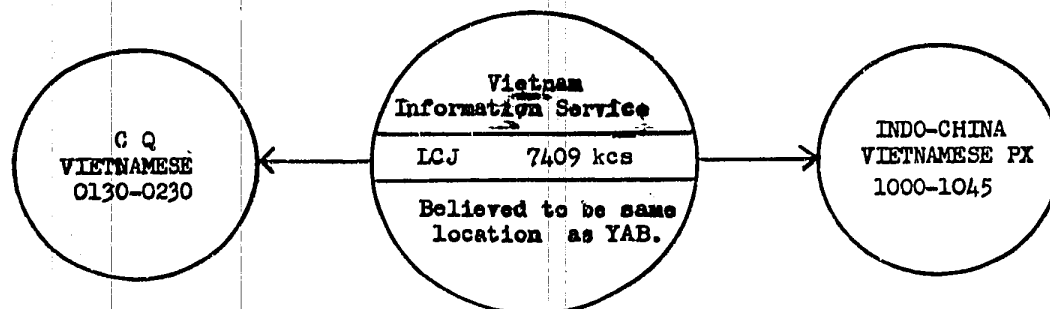
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NOTES:

1. XMSN times GMT: 0100-0330.
2. Sends manual 15 words per minute
3. Traffic consists of Vietnamese, French, 5 Letter Code.

DIAGRAM #5



NOTE:

1. XMSN times 0130-0230, 1245-1330.
2. Sends manual 12-18 words per minute.
3. Traffic consists of Vietnamese.

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